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May 11, 1984

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MAY 14 1984

Fairbanks Hydraulics
Attn: John Fairbanks
7927 South 3030 East
Salt Lake City, UT 84117

DIVISION OF OIL
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MAY 14 1984

RE: ML 30576 OG&H
Township 14 South, Range 23 East, SLB&M
Section 32 Uintah County

Dear Mr. Fairbanks:

It is my understanding that you have conducted mineral exploration and road building activities on lands under ML 30576. My file indicates that your company notified this office by letter of August 1, 1983, of your intent to conduct such operations.

I responded by letter of August 8, 1983, stating that we would review the proposed project within the next 60 days. My letter further states four requirements to be met by your company.

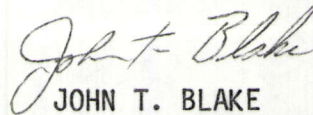
1. File a declaration of exemption with the Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining.
2. Post a reclamation bond with this office in the amount of \$10,000.
3. Submit a letter from the State's lessee of record, Celsius Energy Company, formally designating Fairbanks Hydraulics as an operator.
4. Notify all other lessees or parties having a legal interest in the lands.

Be letter of September 22, 1983, you were informed that the State had completed its review of your August 1, 1983, notification and you were cleared to proceed upon fulfillment of the four requirements outlined in my letter of August 8, 1983. I do not find any indication in any records that the four requirements were fulfilled. I must, therefore, conclude that you did not meet the conditions for final approval of your proposed operations. I have no additional correspondence or documentation in my files which may be construed as giving you approval to conduct major surface disturbance work on these lands.

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I respectfully request that you immediately provide this office with evidence of any approval which you may have received or may have interpreted as giving you authority to conduct the level of operations which you have performed upon these lands.

Sincerely yours,



JOHN T. BLAKE
MINERALS RESOURCE SPECIALIST

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cc: Anne Sitrba
Assistant Attorney General

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Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining

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